



Mongolia: Agricultural and Rural Development

Project Name	Agricultural and Rural Development		
Project Number	39229-012		
Country / Economy	Mongolia		
Project Status	Closed		
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance		
Source of Funding / Amount	TA 4846-MON: Agricultural and Rural Development		
	Japan Special Fund		US\$ 1.00 million
Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth		
Drivers of Change	Gender Equity and Mainstreaming Governance and capacity development		
Sector / Subsector	Agriculture, natural resources and rural development / Agricultural policy, institutional and capacity development - Agricultural production - Agro-industry, marketing, and trade - Rural market infrastructure		
Gender	Gender equity		
Description	The technical assistance will prepare the Agriculture and Rural Development Project (ARDP). The ARDP aims to enable about ten large agriculture enterprises grow to meet the demands of specific niche markets in rich countries. The ARDP foresees providing these enterprises with funds to develop their production and management capacity and their supply chains down to agriculture producers. ARDP will fund investments in: (a) expansion, modernization, improved management, and marketing of large agro-enterprises at the heads of value chains and enterprises along supply chains, (b) improved agricultural production practices, (c) brand development activities, and (d) rural infrastructure and support services.		
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	ADB's overall strategy for Mongolia has identified the agriculture and rural sector as contributing to broad-based growth, and inclusive social development. The sector -- in particular livestock production -- constitutes the main source of livelihood directly for more than 40% of Mongolia's population, and indirectly through related processing, manufacturing and services for many more.		
Impact			
Project Outcome			
Description of Outcome			
Progress Toward Outcome			
Implementation Progress			
Description of Project Outputs			
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)			
Geographical Location			
Safeguard Categories			
Environment			B
Involuntary Resettlement			C
Indigenous Peoples			B
Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects			
Environmental Aspects			
Involuntary Resettlement			
Indigenous Peoples			
Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation			
During Project Design			
During Project Implementation			
Business Opportunities			
Consulting Services	The PPTA will require 38 person months of international and 42 person months of national consultant inputs. International consultants for the agriculture development component will be engaged by ADB through single source selection because PPTA tasks represent a natural continuation of previous work on the Private Sector Development Project funded by the Government of the Netherlands and implemented by GTZ. Continuity in the technical approach, experience acquired, and efficiency provide the major justification. The initial assignment was awarded on a competitive basis. The PPTA is a natural continuation of their previous tasks with a minor expansion of scope and upscaling. The consultants have acquired experience in an area of very thin expertise. Finding a new team to continue their work would be difficult, would involve a loss of efficiency and would not serve the overall interests of the project and the client. Other consulting services, including 7.5 person months of international marketing experts, and domestic consultants to support analyses required by ADB will be engaged as individuals in accordance with the Guidelines on the Use of Consultants by Asian Development Bank and Its Borrowers.		
Responsible ADB Officer	Ruthenberg, Adrian H.		

Responsible ADB Department	East Asia Department
Responsible ADB Division	Mongolia Resident Mission
Executing Agencies	Ministry of Finance (formerly Ministry of Finance and Economy) Mr. B. Khurenbaatar Department of Policy Coordination for Loans and Aid Ministry of Finance (formerly Ministry of Finance and Economy) S.Danzangiin Gudamj 5/1, Zasgiin Gazriin II Bair, Ulaanbaatar 15160 Mongolia Ministry of Food and Agriculture Mr. N. Batsuuri Ministry of Food and Agriculture Ministry of Food and Agriculture Ulaan Baatar-11 Mongolia Ministry of Trade and Industry Mr. Zorigt Department of Integrated Policy and Strategic Planning Ministry of Trade and Industry Sambuud Str. Ulaanbaatar - 13 Mongolia

Timetable	
Concept Clearance	10 Mar 2005
Fact Finding	27 Jun 2006 to 05 Jul 2006
MRM	-
Approval	02 Oct 2006
Last Review Mission	-
PDS Creation Date	16 Mar 2006
Last PDS Update	27 Oct 2008

TA 4846-MON

Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
02 Oct 2006	13 Nov 2006	13 Nov 2006	30 Sep 2007	19 Mar 2009	30 Apr 2009

Financing Plan/TA Utilization							Cumulative Disbursements	
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart				Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries	Project Sponsor	Others			
1,000,000.00	0.00	250,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,250,000.00	17 Jun 2022	778,724.59

Project Page	https://www.adb.org/projects/39229-012/main
Request for Information	http://www.adb.org/forms/request-information-form?subject=39229-012
Date Generated	06 June 2023

ADB provides the information contained in this project data sheet (PDS) solely as a resource for its users without any form of assurance. Whilst ADB tries to provide high quality content, the information are provided "as is" without warranty of any kind, either express or implied, including without limitation warranties of merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, and non-infringement. ADB specifically does not make any warranties or representations as to the accuracy or completeness of any such information.